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In re Application of:

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For: **SORTING AND IMMOBILIZATION
SYSTEM FOR NUCLEIC ACIDS USING
SYNTHETIC BINDING SYSTEMS**

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I. DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED:

In response to the **NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(f)**, which was mailed by the Patent Office on September 28, 2001, enclosed are:

- ☒ Declaration
- ☐ Power of Attorney: ☐ Separate or ☐ Combined with Declaration
- ☐ Assignment of the invention to ____ (together with PTO Form 1595)
- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR § 1.53(f)
- ☒ If any extension fee is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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II. FILING FEES

☒ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

BASIC FILING FEE:								\$740.00
Total Claims	368	-	20	=	348	x	\$18.00	\$6,264.00
Independent Claims	7	-	3	=	4	x	\$84.00	\$336.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$280.00
Surcharge 37 CFR § 1.16(e)	\$130	(if applicable)					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$130.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS								\$7,750.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$3427.
 - \$3132 for 348 total claims over 20.
 - \$160 for 4 independent claims over 3 .
 - \$135 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 3847.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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